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SUBJ: PUERTO RICO IN THE COMMITTEE OF 24: DRAFT RESOLUTION

REF: USUN 3647

THE FOLLOWING IS THE DRAFT RESOLUTION ON PUERTO RICO WHICH WE EXPECT TO BE INTRODUCED IN THE COMMITTEE OF 24 ON AUGUST 14. AN ASSESSMENT OF HOW THE COMMITTEE WILL LINE UP ON THIS RESOLUTION FOLLOWS BY SEPTEL.

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HAVING CONSIDERED THE QUESTION RELATING TO ITS RESOLUTIONS
OF AUGUST 28, 1972, AND OF AUGUST 30, 1973, CONCERNING PUERTO
RICO, RATIFIED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY IN THEIR RESOLUTIONS (XXVII)
AND (XXVIII) RESPECTIVELY:

HAVING HEARD THE STATEMENTS OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE PUERTO
RICAN SOCILIST PARTY, THE PUERTO RICAN INDEPENDENCE PARTY,
AND THE PUERTO RICAN PEACE COUNCIL;

REAFFIRMING THAT, IN CONFORMITY WITH UN RESOLUTION 1514
(XV), ALL PEOPLE HAVE THE RIGHT TO SELF-DTERMINATION
AND BY VIRTUE OF THAT RIGHT THEY FREELY DETERMINE THEIR
POLITICAL STATUS AND FREELY PURSUE THEIR ECONOMIC, SOCIAL
AND CULTURAL DEVELOPMENT;

HAVING TAKEN INTO CONSIDERATION DOCUMENTS AND RESOLUTIONS
ON PUERTO RICO APPROVED BY NON-ALIGNED GOVERNMENTS AND COUNTRIES
DURING THEIR MINISTERIAL MEETING IN GEORGETOWN, GUYANA,
IN 1972; THEIR FOURTH SUMMIT MEETING AT ALGIERS, ALGERIA,
IN 1973; THE CONFERENCE OF DEVELOPING COUNTRIES ON RAW
MATERIALS, HELD IN DAKAR, SENEGAL, IN FEBRUARY, 1975;
AND THE THIRD MINISTERIAL MEETING OF THE COORDINATING BUREAU
OF THE NON-ALIGNED NATIONS THAT TOOK PLACE IN MARCH 1975,
IN HAVANA, CUBA; AND

CONSCIOUS OF THE NEED TO ACCELERATE THE STUDY OF ALL
PERTINENT ASPECTS OF THE SITUATION WITH RESPECT TO THE
PROCEDURE FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF RESOLUTION 1514(XV)
CONCERNING PUERTO RICO;

1. REAFFIRMS THE INALIENABLE RIGHT OF THE PEOPLE OF PUERTO
RICO TO SELF-DETERMINATION AND INDEPENDENCE IN ACCORDANCE
WITH GENERAL ASSEMBLY RESOLUTION 1514(XV) OF 14 DECEMBER 1960;

2. RATIFIES IN ALL OF ITS PARTS ITS RESOLUTIONS OF 28 AUGUST
1972 AND 30 AUGUST 1973 CONCERNING PUERTO RICO;

3. URGES THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
IN CONFORMITY WITH UN RESOLUTION 1514(XV), TO TRANSFER ALL
POWERS, UNCONDITIONALLY AND WITHOUT RESERVATIONS, TO THE
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PUERTO RICAN PEOPLE SO THAT THEY BE ABLE TO EXERCISE THEIR
RIGHT TO SELF-DETERMINATION AND INDEPENDENCE; AND URGES IT
ALSO TO REFRAIN FROM TAKING, BY ITSELF OR IN CONJUNCTION
WITH THE TERRITORIAL GOVERNMENT AND/OR BODIES CORPORATE
UNDER ITS JURISDICTION, ANY MEASURES WHICH MIGHT OBSTRUCT
OR ENDANGER THE PUERTO RICAN PEOPLE'S RIGHT TO SELF-
DETERMINATION AND INDEPENDENCE.

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4. REQUESTS THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
TO ABSTAIN-DIRECTLY, OR INDIRECTLY THROUGH THE TERRITORY'S
ADMINISTRATION--FROM ANY ACT OF POLITICAL PERSECUTION AGAINST
PERSONS, PARTIES, ORGANIZATIONS AND/OR INSTITUTIONS OF THE
PUERTO RICAN PEOPLE ACTIVE IN THE LIBERATION OF THEIR COUNTRY;
AND FROM THE IMPLEMENTATION OF ANY PLAN DEALING WITH
STERILIZATION, MASSIVE MIGRATION OF THE PUERTO RICAN PEOPLE OUTSIDE
OF THEIR COUNTRY, AND/OR THE MASSIVE INTRODUCTION OF FOREIGNERS
INTO PUERTO RICO, ACTIONS THAT MAY WEAKEN THE FULL DEVELOPMENT
AND NATIONAL INTEGRITY OF THE PUERTO RICAN POEPLE;

5. RECOMMENDS TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY THAT IT RECOGNIZE
THE REPRESENTATIVES OF THE PUERTO RICAN SOCIALIST PARTY AND
THE PUERTO RICAN INDEPENDENCE PARTY AS THE TRUE REPRESENTATIVES
OF PUERTO RICO'S NATIONAL LIBERATION MOVEMENT AND THAT THEY
BE ACCORDED OBSERVER STATUS, WITH A RIGHT TO PARTICIPATE WITHOUT
A VOTE IN THE DEBATES BOTH IN THE COMMITTEE OF 24 AND THE
4TH COMMITTEE DEALING WITH PUERTO RICO;

6. AGREES TO SEND A VISITING MISSION TO PUERTO RICO, EARLY
IN 1976; AND REQUESTS THE SECRETARY GENERAL OF THE UNITED
NATIONS TO ASSIGN TO IT THE REQUIRED BUDGET AND TO CONTACT
THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA IN ORDER TO
FACILITATE THE SENDING OF SAID VISITING MISSION.

7. DECIDES TO KEEP THE QUESTION UNDER CONTINUOUS REVIEW.
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